THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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March 31 - April 7, 2014 Edition

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- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

QRP Fox Hunt: 0100Z-0230Z, Apr 2
  Geographic Focus: United States
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 40m Only
  Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: 0230Z April 3, 2014
  E-mail logs to: (see rules)
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

CWops Test (CWT): 1300Z-1400Z, Apr 2 and 1900Z-2000Z, Apr 2 and 0300Z-0400Z, Apr 3
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Awards: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
  Max power: HP: >100 watts
             LP: 100 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: Member: Name + Member No./"CWA"
            non-Member: Name + (state/province/country)
  Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each call once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 0400Z April 5, 2014
Post log summary at: http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.cwops.org/onair.html

SARL 80m QSO Party: 1700Z-2000Z, Apr 3
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: SSB
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single Op
Exchange: RS + Serial No. + Grid Locator or QTH
QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with South African station
15 points per QSO with non-South African station
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: April 12, 2014
E-mail logs to: zs5lp[at]vodamail[dot]co[dot]za
Mail logs to: Durban ARC
17 Brownlee Place, Bluff
Durban 4052
South Africa
Find rules at: http://www.sarl.org.za/Document_Store/
CONT_20140101_SARL_Contest_Manual_2014.pdf

NRAU 10m Activity Contest: 1800Z-1900Z, Apr 3 (CW) and 1900Z-2000Z, Apr 3 (SSB) and 2000Z-2100Z, Apr 3 (FM) and 2100Z-2200Z, Apr 3 (Dig)
Geographic Focus: Nordic Europe
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW, SSB, FM, Digital
Bands: 10m Only
Classes: Single Op
Multi-Op
Exchange: RS(T) + 6-character grid square
QSO Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: April 17, 2014
Upload log at: http://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.nrau.net/activity-contests/below-30mhz.html

QRP Fox Hunt: 0100Z-0230Z, Apr 4
Geographic Focus: United States
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

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  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: 0230Z April 5, 2014
  E-mail logs to: (see rules)
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0200Z-0230Z, Apr 4
  Geographic Focus: North America
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: RTTY
  Bands: (see rules)
  Classes: (none)
  Max power: 100 watts
  Exchange: Serial No. + Name + QTH
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: April 6, 2014
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://www.3830scores.com/
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rttyns.html

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Apr 4
  Geographic Focus: North America
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: (see rules)
  Classes: (none)
  Max power: 100 watts
  Exchange: Serial No. + Name + QTH
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: April 6, 2014
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://www.3830scores.com/
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.html

PODXS 070 Club PSK 31 Flavors Contest: 1200-1800 local, Apr 5
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: BPSK31, QPSK31, BPSK63, QPSK63, BPSK125, QPSK125
  Bands: 20m Only
  Classes: QRP
           Low
           Medium
  Max operating hours: 6 hours
  Max power: Medium: 50 watts
             Low: 20 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: 070 members: (state/province/country) + member no.
            Non-members: (state/province/country) + name
  Work stations: Once per PSK variant
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: Each state, province and DXCC country once per mode
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Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 19, 2014
Post log summary at: http://www.podxs070.com/31-flavors-entry
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.podxs070.com/o7o-club-sponsored-contests/31-flavors

QRP ARCI Spring QSO Party: 1200Z, Apr 5 to 2359Z, Apr 6
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Awards: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: All Band
Single Band
High Bands
Low Bands
Exchange: RS + (state/province/country) + (ARCI number/power)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with ARCI member
4 points per non-member QSO with different continent
2 points per non-member QSO with same continent
Multipliers: States, once per band
VE Provinces, once per band
Countries, once per band
Power Mult: >5W=x1, 1-5W=x7, >250mW-1W=x10, >55mW-250mW=x15, <=55mW=x20
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult
Submit logs by: April 20, 2014
E-mail logs to: contest[at]qrparci[dot]org
Mail logs to: ARCI Spring QSO Party
c/o Jeff Hetherington
139 Elizabeth St. W.
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
Canada
Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/contests/spring-qso-party-2014

Mississippi QSO Party: 1400Z, Apr 5 to 0200Z, Apr 6
Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW, SSB, RTTY, FT4/8
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2m
Classes: Single Op (Fixed/Portable)
Single Op Mobile with Driver
Single Op Mobile without Driver
Unlimited Operators/Transceivers (Fixed/Portable/Mobile)
Exchange: MS: RS(T) + county
non-MS: RS(T) + (state/province/country)
FT4/8: Signal report + 4-character grid square
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW/RTTY/FTn QSO
Multipliers: MS stations: Each MS county, state, province, and DXCC country once
MS stations: total unique grid squares divided by 4

Non-MS stations: Each MS county once
Non-MS stations: Each MS grid square once (EM41-44,EM50-54)
Score Calculation: Fixed: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Portable/Mobile: Sum of scores from each county operated
Submit logs by: April 30, 2014
E-mail logs to: w5xx[at]vicksburg[dot]com
Mail logs to: Vicksburg ARC
64 Lake Circle Drive
Vicksburg, MS 39180
USA
Find rules at: http://www.arrlmiss.org/2014_MSQP_Rules.pdf

Missouri QSO Party: 1400Z, Apr 5 to 0200Z, Apr 6 and 1400Z-2000Z, Apr 6
Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, VHF/UHF
Classes: Missouri Fixed (Single Op (QRP/Low/High)/Multi-Op)
Missouri Expedition (Single Op (QRP/Low/High)/Multi-Op)
Missouri Mobile(Single Op LP (CW/SSB/Mixed)/Mutli-Multi Unlimited/
Multi-Op LP)
Missouri School Club
Missouri Overlay: Rookie
Non-Missouri (US Single Op (QRP/Low/High)/Multi-Op/Canada)
DX
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: MO: RS(T) + county
non-MO W/VE: RS(T) + (state/province/territory)
DX: RS(T) + "DX"
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW/digital QSO
Bonus: 100 points for at least one QSO with a special event station
(W0MA, K0GQ)
Bonus: 100 points for submitting a Cabrillo log electronically
Multipliers: MO: Each MO county, state, province and territory once
MO: Maximum of one DXCC country once
Non-MO: Each MO county once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus
Submit logs by: May 6, 2014
E-mail logs to: moqsoparty[at]w0ma[dot]org
Mail logs to: Boeing Employees' Amateur Radio Society W0MA
C/O Dave Propper, K2DP
747 Old Bonhomme Rd.
University City, MO 63132
USA
Find rules at: http://www.w0ma.org/mo_qso_party.htm

Texas State Parks on the Air: 1400Z, Apr 5 to 0159Z, Apr 6
Geographic Focus: United States/Canada state/province QSO party
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: All, except FTn

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  Bands: All, except WARC
  Classes: Single Op TX Park (QRP/Low)
           Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
           Multi-Single TX Park (QRP/Low)
           Multi-Multi TX Park (QRP/Low)
  Max power: QRP: 5 watts CW, 10 watts phone
             LP: 150 watts
             HP: >150 watts
  Exchange: TX Park: RS(T) + park abbreviation)
            W/VE: RS(T) + (state/province)
            DX: RS(T) + "DX"
  Work stations: Once per band per mode
  QSO Points: 2 points per CW/digital QSO
              1 points per phone QSO
              Bonus Point: see rules
  Multipliers: Each TX park once
               Power: QRP: 3X, Low: 2X, High: 1X
  Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults x power mult) +
bonus points
  Submit logs by: April 19, 2014
  E-mail logs to: logs[at]tspota[dot]com
  Mail logs to: Texas State Parks On The Air
                c/o Tom King, WK5DX
                9438 Cedar Point Cir.
                Houston, TX 77070
                USA
  Find rules at: http://tspota.com/site/page?view=rules

SP DX Contest: 1500Z, Apr 5 to 1500Z, Apr 6
  Geographic Focus: Poland
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW, SSB
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band Mixed (QRP/Low/High)
           Single Op Three Band Mixed
           Single Op All Band Phone (Low/High)
           Single Op All Band CW (Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band Phone
           Single Op Single Band CW
           Multi-Op All Band Mixed
           SWL Mixed
  Max power: HP: >100 watts
             LP: 100 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: SP: RS(T) + 1-character province
            non-SP: RS(T) + Serial No.
  Work stations: Once per band per mode
  QSO Points: SP: 3 points per QSO outside of Europe
              SP: 1 point per QSO with non-SP Europe
              non-SP: 3 points per QSO with SP
  Multipliers: SP: Each DXCC country once per band regardless of mode
               non-SP: Each SP province once per band regardless of mode
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: April 30, 2014
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  E-mail logs to: spdxc-logs[at]pzk[dot]org[dot]pl
  Mail logs to: Polski Zwiazek Krotkofalowcow
                SPDX Contest Committee
                P. O. Box 320
                00-950 WARSZAWA
                POLAND
  Find rules at: http://www.spdxcontest.pzk.org.pl/reg/reg_g.html

EA RTTY Contest: 1600Z, Apr 5 to 1600Z, Apr 6
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: RTTY
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
           Single Op All Band Youth
           Single Op Single Band
           Multi-Op
  Max power: High: >100 watts
             Low: 100 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: EA: RSQ + province
            non-EA: RSQ + Serial No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: EA: 2 points per QSO with EA
              EA: 1 point per QSO with non-EA
              non-EA: 3 points per QSO with EA
              non-EA: 1 point per QSO with non-EA
  Multipliers: Each EADX100 entity once per band
               Each EA province once per band
               Each QSO with EA4URE once per band
               Each USA, VE, JA or VK call area once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: April 20, 2014
  E-mail logs to: rttycontest[at]ure[dot]es
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://concursos.ure.es/en/eartty/bases/

RSGB 80m Club Championship, CW: 1900Z-2030Z, Apr 7
  Geographic Focus: United Kingdom
  Participation: Worldwide
  Awards: United Kingdom
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80m Only
  Classes: (none)
  Exchange: RST + Serial No.
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: (see rules)
  Submit logs by: 2359Z April 14, 2014
  Upload log at: http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2014/r80mcc.shtml

144 MHz Spring Sprint: 1900 local - 2300 local, Apr 7
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Geographic Focus: North America
Participation: North America
Mode: Any
Bands: 2m Only
Classes: Single Op
Rover
Exchange: 4-character grid square
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each grid square
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 21, 2014
E-mail logs to: kotoka2kqm[at]windstream[dot]net
Post log summary at: http://www.3830scores.com
Mail logs to: Kent O'Dell, KA2KQM
2752 Monument Road
Jasper, GA 30143
USA
Find rules at: https://sites.google.com/site/springvhfupsprints/2014-information

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NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

ARS Spartan Sprint	0100Z-0300Z, Apr 8
NAQCC CW Sprint	0030Z-0230Z, Apr 9
CWops Test	1300Z-1400Z, Apr 9
	1900Z-2000Z, Apr 9
	0300Z-0400Z, Apr 10
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0200Z-0230Z, Apr 11
NCCC Sprint Ladder	0230Z-0300Z, Apr 11
JIDX CW Contest	0700Z, Apr 12 to 1300Z, Apr 13
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon	1200Z, Apr 12 to 2400Z, Apr 13
OK/OM DX Contest, SSB	1200Z, Apr 12 to 1200Z, Apr 13
New Mexico QSO Party	1400Z, Apr 12 to 0200Z, Apr 13
Georgia QSO Party	1800Z, Apr 12 to 0359Z, Apr 13
	1400Z-2359Z, Apr 13
Yuri Gagarin International DX Contest	2100Z, Apr 12 to 2100Z, Apr 13
International Vintage Contest HF	1200Z-1800Z, Apr 13
Hungarian Straight Key Contest	1500Z-1700Z, Apr 13
222 MHz Spring Sprint	1900 local - 2300 local, Apr 15

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

AWA John Rollins Memorial DX Contest: March 31, 2014
  E-mail: w1zb[at]arrl[dot]net
  Mail: Jerry Reine, W1ZB
         5 Tobey Lane
         Andover, MA 01810
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.antiquewireless.org/uploads/
1/6/1/2/16129770/2014_john_rollins_rules.pdf

New Hampshire QSO Party: March 31, 2014
  E-mail: n1ix[at]arrl[dot]net
  Mail: Dave LeDuc
         26 Tanglewood Dr.
         Newton, NH 03858
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.w1wqm.org/nhqso/NEW_HAMPSHIRE_QSO_PARTY_RULES.pdf

AGCW VHF/UHF Contest: March 31, 2014
  E-mail: vhf-uhf[at]agcw[dot]de
  Mail: Manfred Busch, DK7ZH
         Ebachstr. 13
         D-35716 Dietzhoelztal-Mandeln
         Germany
  Find rules at: http://www.agcw.org/index.php/en/contests-and-cw-activities/vhf-
uhf-contest

AGCW YL-CW Party: March 31, 2014
  E-mail: dl6kcr[at]web[dot]de
  Mail: Dr. Roswitha Otto, DL6KCR
         St. Nikolaus Str. 26
         D-52396 Heimbach
         Germany
  Find rules at: http://www.agcw.org/index.php/en/contests-and-cw-activities/yl-
cw-party

British Columbia QSO Party: March 31, 2014
  E-mail: bcqp[at]orcadxcc[dot]org
  Mail: Orca DX and Contest Club
         444 - 604 Columbia St.
         New Westminster, BC V3M 1A5
         Canada
  Find rules at: http://www.orcadxcc.org/bcqp_rules.html

AGCW QRP Contest: March 31, 2014
  E-mail: qrp-test[at]agcw[dot]de
  Mail: Edmund Ramm, DJ6UX
         Anderheitsallee 24, Bramfeld
         D-22175 Hamburg
         Germany
  Find rules at: http://www.agcw.org/index.php/en/contests-and-cw-activities/qrp-
contest

ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: April 1, 2014
  E-mail: DXPhone[at]arrl[dot]org
  Mail: ARRL Intl DX Contest, Phone
         ARRL
         225 Main St.
         Newington, CT 06111
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/arrl-dx

CQ WW WPX Contest, SSB: April 4, 2014
  E-mail: ssb[at]cqwpx[dot]com
  Upload log at: http://www.cqwpx.com/logcheck/
  Mail: SSB WPX Contest
         P.O. Box 481
         New Carlisle, OH 45344
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.cqwpx.com/rules.htm

FOC QSO Party: April 5, 2014
  E-mail summary: kz5d[at]aol[dot]com
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://g4foc.org/Default.aspx?pageId=1440151

UBA Spring Contest, SSB: April 6, 2014
  E-mail: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/hf/contest-rules/spring-contest

NSARA Contest: April 8, 2014
  E-mail: ve1pjs[at]rac[dot]ca
  Mail: Peter J. Surette, VE1PJS
         48 Birch St.
         Truro, Nova Scotia B2N 1P1
         Canada
  Find rules at: http://nsara.ve1cfy.net/nsaracst.htm

Idaho QSO Party: April 8, 2014
  E-mail: idqplogs[at]msn[dot]com
  Mail: KARS/logs
         PO Box 1765
         Hayden, ID 83835-1765
         USA
  Find rules at: http://idahoarrl.info/qsoparty/rules.htm

RSGB Commonwealth (BERU) Contest: April 9, 2014
  Upload log at: http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl
  Mail: RSGB-G3UFY
         77 Bensham Manor Road
         Thornton Heath, Surrey CR7 7AF
         England
  Find rules at: http://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2014/rberu.shtml

Wisconsin QSO Party: April 10, 2014
  E-mail: wiqp-logs[at]warac[dot]org

Mail: Wisconsin QSO Party
West Allis Radio Amateur Club
P. O. Box 1072
Milwaukee, WI 53201
USA
Find rules at: http://www.warac.org/wqp/wiqp_rules.htm

BARTG HF RTTY Contest: April 13, 2014
E-mail: logs[at]bartg[dot]org[dot]uk
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://s3.spanglefish.com/s/7850/documents/contests/hf/rules/bartg-hf-rtty-contest-rules.pdf

Classic Exchange, CW: April 15, 2014
E-mail: WQ8U[at]nc[dot]rr[dot]com
Mail: WQ8U
104 W. Queen St.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
USA
Find rules at: http://www.classicexchange.org/jan14ann.html

F9AA Cup, SSB: April 15, 2014
E-mail: concoursf9aa[at]urc[dot]asso[dot]fr
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.site.urc.asso.fr/urchaut-6/om-6/131-trophee-f9aa.html

Classic Exchange, Phone: April 15, 2014
E-mail: WQ8U[at]nc[dot]rr[dot]com
Mail: WQ8U
104 W. Queen St.
Hillsborough, NC 27278
USA
Find rules at: http://www.classicexchange.org/jan14ann.html

Virginia QSO Party: April 15, 2014
E-mail: vqp[at]verizon[dot]net
Mail: VA QSO Party
Call Box 599
Sterling, VA 20167
USA
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/sterling/VA_QSO_Party/2014_VQP/2014_VQP_Rules.html

Louisiana QSO Party: April 21, 2014
E-mail: logs[at]laqp[dot]org
Mail: LAQP
Robert Baker
136 Northwood Drive
West Monroe, LA 71291
USA
Find rules at: http://laqp.louisianacontestclub.org/laqso_rules.htm

Oklahoma QSO Party: April 23, 2014
E-mail: okqplogs[at]suddenlink[dot]net

Mail: Oklahoma QSO Party
Connie Marshall, K5CM
2991 S. Woodland Rd.
Muskogee, OK 74403
USA

Find rules at: http://k5cm.com/okqp2013rules.pdf

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